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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ORDINANCE, 1999

CUSTOMS (EXPORT AND IMPORT CONTROL) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2021

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 41 of the Customs and Excise Ordinance, 1999, the Governor in Council makes the following Regulations:

Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Customs (Export and Import Control) (Amendment) Regulations, 2021.

Insertion of paragraph 9

2. (1) The Customs (Export and Import Control) (Amendment) Regulations, 1988 are amended in the First Schedule by inserting after paragraph 8A the following paragraphs—

- "9. The following exterior light fittings or sources—
 - (*a*) light fittings suitable for exterior use with integrated (pre-installed) light sources emitting light at colour temperatures greater than 3,000 Kelvin or an S/P ratio greater than 1.3;
 - (b) light fittings suitable for exterior use with 1,500 Lumens initial lamp output where the fitting cannot be fitted so that zero light is output at 90 degrees and above;
 - (c) light sources suitable for exterior use emitting light at colour temperatures greater than 3,000 Kelvin; and
 - (d) high intensity light sources greater than 55,000 initial Lumens eg. output greater than 400w high pressure sodium.

9A. For the purpose of paragraph 9—

"colour temperature" of a light source, means the temperature of an ideal black-body radiator that radiates light of comparable hue to that of the light source and is conventionally stated in the unit of absolute temperature Kelvin (K);

"exterior light fitting" means a light fitting for exterior purposes that is not fitted with a motion sensor and can be set to turn off within a specified period of time and does not include exterior light fittings or sources used for—

- (a) lighthouse and navigation lighting used for safety at sea;
- (b) air navigation lighting, including runway lighting, exterior lighting and security lighting in respect of the surroundings of the airport;
- (c) sea navigation lighting and lighting used by a ship for safety at sea;
- (d) interior lighting which does not shine outside of a property;
- (e) temporary festive Christmas exterior lighting in the lighting zones prescribed for a period not more than 8 weeks before and 4 weeks after the date of the day on which Christmas day falls;
- (f) exterior lighting needed for emergency purposes;
- (g) construction site exterior lighting;
- (*h*) exterior lighting used for security at—
 - (i) a common prison or a special prison pursuant to the Prisons Ordinance, 1960;
 - (ii) a detention centre designated as such pursuant to the Police Service Ordinance, 1975; or
 - (iii) a place at which a person is held in custody pursuant to the Police and Criminal Evidence Ordinance, 2003;
- (*i*) exterior lighting used for public safety purposes;
- (*j*) exterior lighting necessary for the satisfaction, in St Helena, of any international obligation;
- (*k*) exterior lighting for the illumination of the national flag of a country or territory required for a formal or ceremonial purpose; and
- (*l*) exterior lighting required by any other Ordinance;

"light fitting" means the total package of light fitment including the lantern, lamp and all associated integral items of operating control and switch gear;

"lumen" means a unit of light (luminous flux) emitted from a point source of one candela intensity, sometimes expressed in kilolumens (klm); and

"scotopic / photopic ratio (S/P ratio)" means a multiplier that measures how much emitted light is useful to the human eye."

Made by the Governor in Council this 1st day of November 2021

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Connie Johnson Clerk of Councils

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

The Customs (Export and Import Control) (Amendment) Regulations, 2021, would prohibit the specified exterior light fittings and sources.